

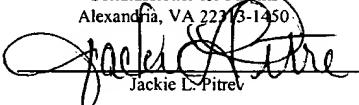
PATENT
5838-00300

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/864,510
Confirmation No.: 2445
Filed: May 24, 2001
Inventor(s):
Murphy et al.

Title: VENTRICULAR
RESTORATION SHAPING
APPARATUS AND
METHOD OF USE

§ Examiner: R. Lewis
§ Group/Art Unit: 3732
§ Old Atty. Dkt. No.: 28122.89
§ New Atty. Dkt. No.: 5838-00300

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8	
DATE OF DEPOSIT: <u>DEC 8, 2004</u>	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
 Jackie L. Pitrev	

**AMENDMENT; RESPONSE SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION**

Mail Stop: RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Amendment

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 47 of this paper.